1890-043 Chancery Causes: Zachariah Thompson vs. Lizzie Thompson
Lee Co.

Gilbert

CA-Divorce
T-Vices

To the Hon. H. S. K. Morison, Judge of the Circuit Court for Ric County

Humbly complaining your orator Zachariah Thompson a citizen of said county would respectfully represent unto your Honor:

That in the year, 1889, he intermarried with one Elizabeth Gilbert and with whom he lived until a short time ago, when he was informed and convinced that his said wife was untrue to her matrimonial vows, and was, without his procurement or connivance, guilty of adultery. So on being convinced of the adulterous acts of his said wife, he left her, and has not since lived with her, or cohabited with her, or condoned her said offense.

Now your orator alleges, avers and charges that his said wife since the marriage has been guilty of adultery without his procurement or connivance, by having sexual intercourse with other men than himself; that he is now, and has been a citizen of this County & State for more than a year before the institution of this suit; and that he has not lived with, or cohabited with the said Lizzie after having knowledge of her said offense, nor has he in any way condoned her said offense.

The premises and allegations of your orator being considered, he humbly prays your honor to take cognizance of his said wrongs and injuries and grant him a decree, annulling, vacating and setting aside said marriage contract now existing between your orator & the said Lizzie Thompson; that is, your orator be granted a divorce a vinculo matrimoni, that the said Lizzie Thompson be made a party defendant to this bill of complaint, and she be required to fully completely and fairfully answer the same on oath; and that such other other further and general relief as the nature of his cause may demand be granted him. And he will ever pray &c

May process issue &c

E. H. Pennington Jr. Sol.

E. W. P.

Tax	$ 5.00	Paid
Atty	1.00	
S.		
C. Gray	5.00	
	17.50	

Zachariah Thompson

vs. } Bill for Divorce

Lizzie Thompson

1870 2nd Chg. Rules Bill filed. Dfn'dt & Deposi
1st Sept. Rules taken
last monday in Sept.
D. Nisi Confd.

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To Lizzie Thompson

TAKE NOTICE, That I on the 13 day of Aug., 1890, at the Circuit Court Clerks Office of Lee County, Va

will proceed to take the deposition of Sampson Bishop

which, when taken, I intended to be read as evidence on my behalf in a certain suit in Chancery now pending in the Circuit Court of Lee County, State of Va, in which I am plaintiff and You are defendant.

And if from any cause the same be not commenced, or if commenced, be not concluded on that day, the taking thereof will be adjourned from time to time, and from place to place, until completed.

Aug 5, 1890.

Very Respectfully,

Zach Thompson

Zachariah Thompson

vs } Notice

Lizzie Thompson

To 13th Aug. 1890.

Executed by delivering a true copy of the within to Lizzie Thompson Aug the 9th 1890. P. M. Rasor Deputy for C. & B. Murcy S. J. C

The Commonwealth of Virginia.

To The Sheriff Of Lee County Greeting:

We Command You to Summon Lizzie Thompson

To appear at the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, at the Courthouse on the ~~first~~ Second Monday in August 1890 next, being rule day to answer a bill in Chancery exhibited in our said Court against her by Zachariah Thompson

And have then and there this writ. Witness, J. A. G. Hyatt, Clerk of said Court at the Courthouse. This 5th day of August 1890, in the 115 year of the Commonwealth.

A Copy Teste

J. A. G. Hyatt *Clerk.*

E. M. P.

Zachariah Thompson

vs

Spartanburg

Lizzie Thompson

To 2d Aug. Rules 1890

Executed by delivering a true copy of the within summons to Lizzie Thompson on August the 5th 1890 P. M. Reason Deft for C. A. B. Muney

S. L. C.